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**METROPOLIS AND
REGION**

A Fall Series of Lectures

The development of the modern metropolis is related to its position and function within a wider region. The metropolitan region is a dynamic combination of geographic, historical, economic, political, social and even aesthetic factors. As our metropolitan areas grow ever larger and closer together, it becomes increasingly important for citizens and officials to understand this dynamic and metropolitan-regional relationship. This lecture series is intended to give members of the Metropolitan Toronto community an opportunity to add a regional dimension to their understanding of the forces and influences of metropolitan life.

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TUITION FEES

A fee of \$25.00 is charged for the lecture series. Cheques should be made payable to the University of Toronto.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information on the course please contact:

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THE COURSE

The Course will consist of ten lectures beginning Thursday, October 6th. Lectures will be held at University College each Thursday at 8 p.m.

Sessions will commence with the presentation of a paper, of approximately one hour in length, by each lecturer. Following the lecture, there will be a period in which participants will be encouraged to discuss the evening's subject with the speaker.

Discussion throughout the series will be general in nature, though lecturers will relate subjects to examples in the Metropolitan Region. In this way, it is hoped that each participant's general appreciation of metropolitan government and life, and its implications in relation to their vocational or community interests, will be increased.

DISCUSSION SUBJECTS

Order of lectures subject to change

Professor Troy Westmeyer — October 6

Acting Dean, Graduate School of Public Administration, New York University

Metropolitan Development — An historical survey of the development of some of the world's larger urban areas with special emphasis on the relationship between metropolitan growth and regional factors.

Mr. Peter Bartha — October 13

Regional Economist, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Metropolitan Dominance in North America — A survey of selected economic and public financial indices showing the increasing importance of large metropolitan areas in North American life.

Professor David M. Nowlan — October 20

Department of Political Economy, University of Toronto

The Metropolitan and Regional Economy — An outline of current patterns of economic activity and location showing the inter-relationship of the metropolitan and its economic region(s).

Mr. Hans Blumenfeld — October 27

Planning and Transportation Consultant, Toronto

Metropolitan and Regional Transportation — An outline of the problems and prospects of transportation in metropolitan regions with special emphasis on the Metropolitan Toronto and Region Transportation area.

Professor Scott Greer — November 3

Department of Sociology, and Research Director of Centre for Metropolitan Studies, Northwestern University

The Societal Role of the Metropolis — An examination of the extent to which contemporary society reflects the organization patterns, cultural style and decisions in the metropolis.

Dr. Daniel G. Hill — November 10

Director of the Ontario Human Rights Commission

Group Integration in the Metropolis — An examination of an important aspect of the societal rôle of our large urban areas with special emphasis on the integration of immigrant and other minority groups in urban Ontario.

Professor James H. Acland — November 17

School of Architecture, University of Toronto

Urban Design and Regional Factors — A comparative look at the relationship between architectural patterns and innovation in the metropolis and the physical characteristics and aesthetic traditions of its region.

Professor Harold Kaplan — November 24

Department of Political Science, York University

The Relationship Between the Metropolis and Senior Levels of Government — An international survey of the differing approaches of senior levels of government to their metropolitan areas and the problems of metropolitan development.

Professor Frank Smallwood — December 1

Department of Government, Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire

The Need for Regional Government — Should a level of government be organized whose jurisdiction exceeds the boundaries of contiguous metropolitan development and includes the region of intensive metropolitan influence? An examination of political and developmental problems associated with the regional government question will be undertaken.

Professor A. J. Dakin — December 8

Head of Town and Regional Planning, School of Architecture, University of Toronto

Mississauga and Our Megalopolitan Future — An examination of the emerging megalopolitan region on the north-west shores of Lake Ontario and its developmental problems.

APPLICATION FOR THE METROPOLIS AND REGION — SESSION 1966-67

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Please find enclosed my remittance of \$25.00 (cheque payable to the University of Toronto)

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FIRM NAME (If applicable)

Registrations should be sent in by September 30, but if there should be any vacancies, late registrations will be accepted on the evening of the first lecture.

